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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of Inventor(s):

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For: WEIGHTED ERROR/ERASURE CORRECTION IN A MULTI-TRACK STORAGE MEDIUM

Enclosed are also:

X 22 Pages of Specification including an Abstract

X 6 Pages of Claims (1 - 24 Claims)

 $\underline{X}$  4 Sheet(s) of Drawings

X A Declaration and Power of Attorney

Form PTO 1595 and Assignment of the invention to Storage Technology Corporation

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